DEBT IS ROLLING UP

U. S. Treasurer's Report Shows Expenses Exceed Receipts

HEAVY INCREASE OF EXPENSES

The Gold Reserve Was Tapped to Most Gold Shipments and Has Not Been Restored.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 26.-The treasurer of the United States, the Hon. D. N. Morgan, has submitted to Secretary Carlisle the annual report on the operations and condition of the treasury. The net ordinary revenues for the facal year were \$185,810,028.78, an increase of \$30,-881,844.54 over those of the year before. The net expenditures were \$381477, 55440, an increase of \$38454.843.21. There was therefore a decrease of \$7,-772 77837 in the surplus revenues, reducing them to \$2.341.674.29. Including the public debt, the total receipts were \$182.871.214.78, and the total expenditures \$773,007,000.00. The business of treasury has been conducted through the main office at Washington, nine sub-treasuries, five mints, five assay offices and about one hundred and sixty mathonal banks designated to act as United States depositaries. Each of these institutions held part of the public funds which amounted on June 30, 1802, to 87-80.21, 260.71, and on June 30, 1803, to 87-80.22, 260.23. After setting apart these same of gold, silver and United States notes which were held for the redescription of certificates of deposit and of freasury notes, there was left a reserve, or general fund, of \$187,012,740.71 in 1862, and \$168.167,391.58 in 1862. These amounts, however, included cer-tain sums of certificates of deposit, bonds and coupons which were unavailable for any other purpose than the settement of the treasurer's accounts, and which, if cancelled, would have left an actual available working balance of two dates respectively. By September 30 this balance had been diminished to at \$2.20,28.72, owing of course, to a de-

Gold Reserve Tapped. At the end of September, 1888, the treasury held SCLAN, 200 of gold, the lowest amount ever reported. The largest amount, of free gold ever held was \$218.818.225, in March of the same year. The lowest points touched since then were \$100,700,800 of total holdings and 10 April, for the first time since the gold reserve reached the sum of \$100,000,000, it fell below that figure, and on certificates was suspended, as required by law. The loss of gold was caused partly by the deliciencies in the revenues but chiefly by the presentation of logal tender notes for redemption in For the seven months beginning with last December upward of \$81,000, 000 was drawn out of the treasury in resuption notes and the gold reserve was reduced during the same period by smooth.co. During the next three months, with light redemptions and a differency of \$19,000,000 in the revenues. the treasury lost \$15,000,000, but the reserve fell off only \$2,000,000.

Export of Gold.

The amount of gold exported during the fiscal year was the largest ever taken out of the country or brought into it in any like period, being upward of \$109,000,000 and it is noted that \$102. 600,000 of it was drawn out of the treasury by the presentation of legal tender rotes. Most of the gold exported in former years was supplied by the treasury in exchange for gold certificates and it is the first time that any considerable sums of notes have been presented for the metal. With the ex explien of an increase of \$45.50000 in the purchase of suiver bullion and a de cream id 880,000,000 in the combined to due of good certificates and currency certificates there had been no important to the revised estimates the total stock of money of all kinds to the country on June 30 was \$2.221.547.077 or nearly \$51,000,000 less than at the same time hast year. This contraction took place potential anding the minimum of \$45,000. of police on the outstanding bank notes and was caused of course by the

Expansion of Bank Notes.

In July, however, there began a heavy return glovement of the metal, supnote circulation. By the end of Sepwhat it was when the exports began. The total increase of the effective stock of money in the three months was no less than \$55,000,000, bringing it up to a ligace much above the highest ever be fine reached. The treasurer remarks that this satisfier contraction and expanwen within the space of vierup mouths. affects a striking Hillestration of the degree of flexibility presented by the curamount of money in discussion that m, cutable of the treasury on June 20 place it at \$1,500 and at er about 20,000. 000 less than it was a year before. During the four months ending with Octoa record altegether without parallel in the history of the country. The aggre-gate of money in the harrisof the people I the average per capita were thus honoght to a higher figure than had ever of United States paper currency have to a neumally heavy, amounting to

During the past two fiscal years there was received nearly one fifth part of the whole estimated stock of subsidiary silvor, an improvement that is expected to increase the popularity and usefulness of this part of the corrang. Contrary to expectation the Columbian serventr come have not proved popular. Some frequery and others have been returned for redeciption. An arrangement has been in contemplation under which the half dollars in the treasury will be recorned at the expense of the management of the exposition. It has not yet been decided what disposition is to be moute of the quester dollars of this colo age not disposed of Although the signi amount of counterfact crims and paper currency progented at the treasury was greater than in the prowinner year, the increase was less proportionately then the increase of the jan

amount of money handled. Considerable solitions were made to the bonds should in trust for national banks and for the Pacific rational staking funds.

Bank Note Hedeuprices.

On account of the distressed financial condition of the country there have been some unusual incidents in the redemption of national bank notes. The first occurred in July and August, when that occurred in July and August, when the amounts received were more than they had ever been before since the es-tablishment of the redemption agency at the treasury. In September the re-ceipts increased as rapidly as they had fallen off, and in October they were the heaviest in many mouths. The treas-urer conductes by arguing that the vanite and safes in his office be put in better condition, in accordance with the recommendations made in the report of the commission appointed to investigate

the commission appointed to investigate the present methods of this kind of con-

INTERNAL REVENUE RECEIPTS. The Department Shows an Income of \$8,000,000 this Year.

Washington, Nov. 26.—The annual report of Joseph S. Miller of West Virginia, commissioner of internal revenue. missioner estimates the probable revesue from internal revenue for next year at \$150,000,000. This is \$15,000,000 less than last year's estimate, and \$11.000,000 less than the actual yield last year, which was \$161,000,000. There has been a decrease of \$5.512,000 in the first three months of this tiscal year. For a number of years past the receipts from internal revenue have run along on a continuous upward sliding scale, notwithstanding that during the period noted several reductions in rates and remissions of taxation have been enacted. The receipts were \$116,000,000 in 1886, \$118,000,000 in 1887, \$124,000,000 in 1888, \$130,000,000 in 1889, \$142,000,000 in 1800, \$146,000,000 in 1891, \$153,000,000 in 1800 and \$161,000,000 in 1803. The chief collections have been from dis-tilled spirits, and next to that malt liquors and tobacco. Among the heaviest collection districts is named the first Michigan with a collection of \$2,501,000. There has been a decrease of over \$0,000 in the amount collected for chewing and smoking tobacco, which is attributed to the operations of the new law permitting the sale of tobacco-in-

law permitting the sale of tobacco-in-hand "by farmers and retailers" on cigars and cigarettes and snuffs there has been an increase of receipts.

In regard to sugar production the commissioner says: The operation of the law in relation to the bounty on sugar has had the effect, so far as cane sugar is concerned, to increase the pro-duction and to lessen the number of sugar factories or licensed producers. It is estimated that \$2,000,000 have been invested in Louisiana in improved machinery for making sugar since the beginning of the present year, the full effect of which will not be seen and appreciated until the conclusion of the coming season. These changes in the machinery of sugar factories result in a more economical manufacture of sugar and indicate a gradual departure from the primitive and more wasteful meththe primitive and more wasteful meth-ods formerly in use. The production of beet sugar in the state of California and the territory of Utah showed an in-crease of 15,000,000 pounds. Sorghum sugar decreased on account of the rav-ages of "chinch bugs." The production of maple sugar had increased.

NEW TARIFF BILL READY. Some Radical Changes Made Regarding Sugar Bounty.

Washington, Nov. 26.—All day yes-terday and far into the night, the majority members of the committee on ways and means labored on their tariff meas ure preparatory to submitting it to the republican minority members and to the general public tomorrow. The duty on refined sugar is reduced from 1, to 14 cent a pound; raw sugars remain free of tax. The McKinley bounty is repealed progressively, that is, one eighth each year, so that at the end of eight years it is to cease entirely. The change in the sugar schedule, so far as can be learned, is the only startling departure from the provisions of the proposed bill as they have from time to time been permitted

Many "trial balances" have been struck in the shape of preliminary printed drafts of a bill, each of which has subsequently been modified out of The unly safe course, therefore, seems to be to await until 11 a. m. tomorrow, when the finally perfected draft is to be given out. Changes and modifications are liable to be made up to the last moment, and any attempted advance pubcation in detail must necessarily be liable to mislead in some important par-

Cyclers Want Their Prizes.

CLEVELAND, O., Nov. 26 - The L. A. W. will meet here tomorrow. The most varied and unique assistment of kicks in the history of bicycling are coming up for consideration, and the meeting promises to be decidedly interesting ina Stecle and George E. Barrett of Chicago, and Will Evans of Lunsing. Mich. have not received the proces they won at the races held under the nuspices of the West Michigan Fair society Grand Rapsils on account of the bank rupl condition of the society, and the racing board will be asked to help the

He Hired an Assassin.

Woosrus, Ohio, Nov. 20 - James Wig. gins, arrested at Warson, Illa, for employing an assassin to shoot Farmer Mackey was brought to Wooster this merning. Wiggins pleaded not guilty and was held for court in \$2,000 hail, which he was unable to furnish and he was placed in Jall.

He Shot Two Dead.

Ensures, Ga., Nov. 26.-At a support ieur Ogleby station last night, Cabe Glover Jr. shot Herry 1 mond through the abdomen and killed him. With a second shot Gabe sent a build through the neck of his friend, William Gaines. Camps will die.

Art Pictures Turnet Her Head.

Aggrance, Ohio, Nov. 26. A second resident of Alliance, Mrs. Sylvania Miller, has gone meann as a result of staiting the world's fair. It is said the sights in the art gallery turned her

Perrences, Pa. Nov. M.—The Rev. George Hedges, paster of Calvary Episoppi church, has resigned to accept the leadership of Harvard theological sem-

Crap Throwers Jailed.

Axs Aunon, Mich., Nov. 28,-The poout sight, which have been running in

HAND TO HAND FIGHT

Desperadoes Who Tried to Wreck a Lake Shore Train

WERE CAPTURED AT ELKHART.

Additional Particulars of the Battle Between Trutemen and Tramps for Possession of the Train.

Gosnax, Ind., Nov. 26. Additional particulars have been learned in regard to the attempt of train robbers to hold up a Lake Shore train, briefly told in this morning's dispatches. It appears that two attempts had been made to use the last ten cars of the train to carry out a dastardly attempt to wreck No. 12, the New York fast express on the Lake Shore road. It was, however, brought to an unsuccessful end by the resistance of the trainmen, who fought a constant battle during the run of ten miles from Elkhart here. The first section of No. 60 pulled out of Elkhart last night at 10:30, with orders to run to Ligonier 10:30, with orders to run to Ligorier without stop. All seemed well with the train, but when about a mile from Elkhart, the conductor, John Hickok, and two brakemen, were attacked by a band composed of eight burly tramps, who it has been since learned boarded the train at Elkhart and had been concealed between the cars. cealed between the cars.

Train Crew Overpowered. They overpowered the crew and were proceeding to disconnect the last two cars when the crew, assisted by the engineer and fireman, again secured con-trol of the train. A second attempt was made five miles further on, and from that point into Goshen, a run of four that point into Goshen, a run of four miles, a desperate fight was waged between the robbers and the crew until the train reached the Goshen yards. The battle for the control of the train was desperate for the last four miles, and Conductor Hickok was badly bruised and pummeled, as was also one of the brakemen, who resides at Elkhart. The robbers secured four watches and all the money belonging to the and all the money belonging to the crew. The engineer whistled for help, crew. The engineer whistled for help, and officers were quickly upon the scene. The eight robbers, who were upon the train when it arrived in the

Goshen yards, escaped. Two Train Robbers Captured. Two were subsequently captured and Two were subsequently captured and the sheriff and a posse are at present in hot pursuit of another. Henry Zimmerman was arrested within the city limits and later in the merning William Cone was captured. These two are now in custody here. A posse of officers and Lake Shore dectives are scouring the surrounding country for the remaining six. The plan of the robbers was one which would, had it been successfully carried out, incurred great loss of life and money. They were endeavoring to and money. They were endeavoring to leave eight or ten cars of the freight on the track into which they expected No. 12. which was following close, would dash. In the consequent wreck, it is surmised that the wreckers expected to get away with considerable booty from the express car. The place where the first attempt was made, one mile this side of Elkhardt, was one singularly well adapted for that kind of work. It is a sparsely settled location and one of the darkest places on the Lake Shore road. There is a rather sharp curve there as is also one not far from this

Reward of \$4,000 Offered.

No. 12, the fast express, is the same train which was so successfully looted at Kessler two mouths ago, and is a very heavy train, never being made up of less than ten or eleven cars. The two attacks have aroused the Lake Shore officials, and every means possible is being taken to apprehend the robbers in such a summary manner as to discourage fu-John Newell came from Chicago at noon today and was in conference with the attorneys of the road. A reward of \$4,000 will be posted all over the surrounding country for the arrest and conviction of the eight robbers, or \$500 for the arrest and conviction of any one of them. Henry Zimmerman denies every them. Henry Zimmerman denies every thing, saying that he came to Goshen from Elkharton the "plug" last night, but the inconsistency of the stories he tells is almost proof of his guilt. The con-ductor of the "plug" swears that he was not on the train last night. Zimmerman also stated that he bought his ticket at Elkhart and paid 25 cents for it, while the regular fare is 30 cents. the regular fare is 30 cents.

Stolen Money Found in His Shoe. His home is in Kendallsville and he has been in the employ of the Chicago & St. Paul road. In him shoe were found four silver dollars, which was the amount taken from the engineer, while Cone had in his possession \$12, the exact amount of which Conductor Hickok was re-lieved. Cone claims Benton Harbor as his home and claims he is tramping to Fort Wayne in search of employment. He does not state, however, why it is necessary to tramp with \$12 in his pocket. A singular feature of the affair is that none of the gang carried weapons of any kind, which would make it appear that it was a gang of needy tramps organized for the most desperate and heartless kind of plunder. The two who are in custody will say little. They are hard looking specimens of manhood. strong, hearty and desperate resistance was offered by Cone when canght

ROBY CLUB WING Attorney General Holds that Calling

Out Troops Was Hiegal. INDIANAPOLIS, Nov. 2% - Tomorrow Attorney General Smith will submit to the secretary of state an opinion on the Hoby controversy that is likely to cause something of a sensation. The new Roby athletic club demanded of the secretary of state his reasons why he would not permit it to file articles of association, and the letter was submitted to the attorney general. The attorney general holds that the McHugh law, under which the club seeks to incorporate is perfectly valid, therefore from lawful. Such being the case, the secre tary had no right whatever to refuse the privilege of filing duplicate articles of privilege of Bling Supirate articles of association. Having flied them with the recorder of Lake county, it is already a valid corporation. Such being the case, there is not, and has not been, any call for interference upon the part of the governor. His action in massing troops at Laporte last Septem. this city, arrested even sports who were studitor of state has audited balls for the engaged in playing, and lodged them in payment of the expenses of that mobilization, he has gone outside of his that they know what they are about.

authority and committed a felony. The only proper method of proceedure was for the judge of Lake county to persuptority remove the sheriff, if he failed to do his duty, and prevent infractions of the law. The effect of this opinion, if followed by the state officials, will be to put the Koby people in full possession of their property and they can have the Mitchell-Corbett mill or any light they please.

POWDERLY HAS RESIGNED. Delegates Refused to Follow His Lead and He Quit.

PRILABELPHIA. Nov. 24.—T. V. Powderly resigned his position of general master workman of the Knights of Labor last night. He was unable to keep the delegates in the time he had marked out for them and this decisive move seemed to be the only one left for him to adopt. Mr. Powderly was asked if he had really resigned, "When I was unable to stem the tide that was bearing some the men and truest of the order downward," he replied, "I told the delegates that they must either declare my office vacant or accept my resignation, as I would no longer serve. In a day or two I will make a statement but at present I do not feel that I should do so. When I left the hall it was to attend some private business."

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The delegates to the Knights of Labor convention who are opposed to General Master Workman Powderly held a can cus today and sent a telegram to Labor Commissioner Sovereign of Iowa asking him if he would permit the use of his name in connection with the office of general muster workman. Tonight a reply was received from Mr. Sovereign stating that he will accept the position if Mr. Powderly has resigned. The resignation of the once powerful leader is in the possession of the convention, but if the present plan of his enemies is resorted to he will not be allowed to resign.

SLAUGHTERED WITHOUT MERCY. Rebels Killed 200 Government Troops

DEMING, N. M., Nov. 26.—While no absolutely authentic information has absolutely authentic information has yet been received from the scene of Thursday's battle, rumors are current and all reports agree that the rebels scored a victory. The fight occurred near Casa de Jalos, twenty-five miles northwest of Casas Grandes. The rebels circled around the troops and at a given signal closed in. After the officers had been killed by the first fire, the soldiers attempted to take refuge in a dozen houses. The rebels pursued them and the soldiers, being huddled together and frenzied with terror were slaughtered without mercy. The government's losses are mercy. The government's losses are estimated at 200 and the rebels at fifteen. After the battle the rebels went into the mountains. The soldiers displayed great cowardice Thursday, owing to the suddenness of the attack and practically

JORDAN'S TERRIBLE CRIME.

He Murdered Four Persons and Killed Himself. SEYMOUR, Ind., Nov. 26 -- As the re sult of a terrible tragedy growing out of a family feud five people are dead to night in their country home seven miles east of this city. Four years ago Clinton Jordan, then 21 years of age, married a daughter of Joshua Foster, with whom he has never lived happily. Last week they finally separated and she re-terned to the home of her father. Late last night Jordan met his father in law and accompanied him home, contrary to the wishes of the latter, who feared trouble. Jordan promised to behave, but soon after his arrival at Foster's home, he began a quarrel which termi-nated in Jordan shooting his wife, Cora Foster, William Powell, Mrs. Foster and his father-in-law. Jordan then placed the pistol to his breast and sent a bullet

SMUGGLERS INDICTED. Some are on Bail Others Under

Arrest. PORTLAND, Ore., Nov. 26. The grand

jury yesterday returned additional indictments against members of the smug-gling ring, one of the five counts against which A. Dunbar, president of the de-funct Merchants Transportation company, one of seventeen counts against J. Mulkey, ex-special agent of the treasury department and one against L.C.Sweeney former captain of the ship Western Belle. Sweeney was arrested last night. He is said to have carted smuggled opium to Nathaniel Blum's house. Blum is Dunbar's partner and is also under arrest. Dunbar and Mulkey are out on bail. Rumors are current of attempts to bribe the jury.

WAS A TRIPLE TRAGEDY. Quarrel About a Woman Led to the Shooting.

FORT WORTH, Tex., Nov. 26.—At Hico, a short distance from here, this morning, William Olds and William Massey and a young son of the latter were killed. Massey was Old's tenant, and suspected his landlord of intimacy with Mrs. Massey. Olds went to Mas sey's house this morning to collect rent and a quarrel ensued. Massey pulled a revolver and shot Olds twice. Olds then drew his pistol and put four balls into Massey's son and two into the old man. All three died tonight.

Charged With Embezzlement

INDIANAPOLIS, Nov. 26 At the in-stance of the Indianapolis police, Ed Fulford, superintendent of construction the American Long Distance Tele phone company, was arrested at Syra-cuse, New York, today and will be brought back to this city. He is charged with embezzling a sum esti-mated at from \$40,000 to \$50,000 from the company by issuing fraudulent vouchers. The company recently secured a franchise to carry their line from New York to St. Louis through

She Chewed Her Hashand Jackwis, Mich., Nov. 28.—Two years ago Jay S. Nichols of Henrietta was married to Cora Sturdevant. Neither of the contracting parties were over 18 years of age. Now Jay sues for divorce, charging extreme cruelty. He alleges that he was at one time laid up for exweeks as the result of his child-wife biting his shoulder, she setting her teeth in his flesh and chinging until he choked her loose. Young Mrs. Nichola and her friends deny the charges, which they say are absurd. The suit is begun by Nichols' father as

Local Option Defied. KALAMARON, Mich., Nov. 26.—The salconists in Paw Paw, Canton and other points in Van Boren county have taken legal advice on the local option law and, believing it to be unconstitutional are preparing to open their bars this week for business in the regular order. Their confidence is significant

CAME TO THE CHRIST

Nearly 500 persons Converted at the Mills' Meetings.

THREE POWERFUL SERMONS

The Evangelist Scores Hypocritical Church Members and Urges Sinners to Repent and He Saved.

Nearly 500 persons were convected by the Rev. B. Fay Mills yesterday. Never before in the history of the city have so many sinners repented in a single day or even a month. Mr. Mills preached three sermons, one in the morning especially to church-goers. He scored the hypo critical church members who say "Lord, Lord," but do not do the will of the master. There were fully 3,000 professing christians present, and not one of them but was moved by the vigorous words of the evangilist. In the afternoon Mr. Mills preached to those who do not profess to be christians, and at the close of his sermon more than 300 signed the inquiry cards. He took as his text the words, "And they came to Kadesh-barnea." The revivalist told the story of how the chosen people reached Kadesh barnes and then sent ten spies Kalesh-barnea and then sent ten spies ahead to see what sort of a country Caanan was. The spies returned and advised the people not to enter the land; so they went no farther. Mr. Mills said many persons were like that, thousands upon thousands. They hear the cry of God in their hearts, and are just on the verge of the promised land; but they never enter. He appealed to them to enter into the mansion of the Lord and forsake the ways of sin and wickedness. In the evening Mr. Mills preached a sermon especially to men, the hall being filled to overflowing.

Last 'light's Services. The Rev. Dr. Winter made the opening prayer. Mr. Hillis sang "Come, Sinner, Come." Mr. Mills selected his text

from Lamentations, i-12, "Is it nothing to you?"

"Is it nothing to you that you are a sinner?" asked the evangelist. "A very wise man has said that a fool mocketh at sin. Yet he did not wish to say any harsh things about anybody. There are some poisons so deadly that if a drop were placed on your finger it would kill you. Sin is that kind of a poison. Sin has in it the power of infinite multiplication.

"I knew of a man in Toronto who was going to a prize fight. He rushed to the dock and jumped on board a boat. Then he found the boat was going to a camp meeting. The man was very un-easy and finally offered to give the cap-tain \$10 to run the boat near enough land for him to jump overboard and swim ashore. 'This is hell for me,' said he. That's the way it is with sinners. If they were in heaven they'd try to make a hell of it. I think hell would be a generous probation for men that go through life with no thought of their God.

"Is it nothing for you that you do not need to be a sinner? Martin Luther thought he used to have personal interagined that the devil came to him with a roll upon which was written every evil thought he ever had. You have been a very sinful man, Martin Luther, and you are going to bell with me,' said the devil You are right about part of it, replied Luther; 'I have been a very great sin ner, but Jesus Christ is a very great

Didn't Know Bill Taylor.

"I preached in the slums in New York once, and asked those who wished to know real, true life to remain. Three men staid. Two of them were the kind of persons you would not care to meet alone in the dark. The third was an elegantly dressed gentleman, but knew in an instant by his appearance that he was a christian. One of the men tried to say the Lord's prayer, but he broke down; the other attempted to say a prayer for his soul, but he could not do it. Finally the well dressed man said to one of the two. Jim, do you know me?' and Jim said, 'I don't Didn't you know Bill Taylor?" he asked. Yes, said Jim, I knew Bill Taylor, but I don't know you.' 'Don't you remem ber when we slept in the rookery, Jim' I staid there with Bill Taylor, don't know you, replied Jim. 'But I'm Bill Taylor,' declared the well-dressed man. 'What are you givin' us?' said Jim. You trying to put up a job or me, and I'm goin to get out. But the other man caught him by the shoulder and asked. Do you remember the night we went through Quigley's? You must be Bill Taylor, said Jim Taylor promptly, but what's in you'The Lord Jesus Christ, said Mr. Tay

lor promptly.

The spirit of Christ had transformed him from a criminal to a respectable man within ten months. Oh, that spirit of Christ! It means everything It means that be is able to take a weak man and make him strong; it mem that he is able to take a man who has sunk to the lowest depths of lascivious ness and fill him with the divine spirit All the mighty power of God is waiting to be turned upon your life. It is noth ing to you?

Grand Time to Repent.

"This would be a grand time for you to accept Christ. I have heard persons sneer at revivals; but I have never heard anybody in his right mind do so. I have heard men say a revival is a good thing for women and children. Women seives. They are by nature nearer the kingdom than men. I never knew five men who were christians who were not converted at revivale.

"A revival is the time for the men. It s harder for them than it is for women to break off from their past life. say you don't like the excitement. There is no excitement here. Some fear that they wouldn't hold out if they were converted in a revival; but I want to say converted in a revival; but I want to say to you that they're the persons that do hold out. What is the trouble, my friends? Is it because the heart of your dear old mother is breaking because you did not come to Christ? Many are, my brethren. I think if I had a wife whom I had taken from her father's house, and who had been a true wife to me and a devoted mother to my children, and her heart was bleeding because I had no concern for my soul I think that would

by and I knew it not." This may be your last opportunity to hear the call to lend a christian life. A man was sitting in a meeting like this in Chicago, and suddenly straightening up was dead. There will be a last time. Some of you say you expect to get another chance after you are dead. O, my brother, be reasonable. Do you expect to be born again.

Life Cannot Be Lived Again.

"Do you expect to have your boyhood back? Do you expect to get your wife back as she was before you blasted her life by your indifference to your soul? Do you expect you will get your children again? Do you expect that (iod has another son to die for you? And what good would it do if you resist the wonderous appeal he has already made? Every day you put off repeatance, it is harder. You have one more day to repeat if and one less day to repent in. There are men in this room who, if they do not repent tonight, will never have another chance.

"O, my brother, you have been resisting, lo, these many years the spirit of God. Will you not yield tonight? Is it nothing to you? I do not ask you whether these things mean a great deal to you. Does your spiritual weltare mean anything to you, and do you wish it meant more? If so, I wish you would rise to your feet before I pray." At least 100 arose to their feet, some of them men whose bair is silvered by time and whose sands of life are almost run. Nearly 200 inquiry cards were sagned

and whose sands of life are almost run. Nearly 200 inquiry cards were signed

and sent forward.

Mr. Gillam preached a sermon to women, and the Fountain Street baptist church was filled in spite of the in-clement weather. A powerful appeal was made to sinners to come to grace, and a large number signed the inquiry

The last services of this series of meetings will be held today at 3:30 and at 7:30. Many of the pastors have made arrangements to continue the revival on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Fri-

FRIENDLY GROUP ORGANIZED As an Auxillary to the Charity

Yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock about fifty residents of the secondward met at the residence of G. N. Wagner for the pur-pose of organizing a "Friendly Group." W. W. Hyde called the meeting to order and briefly stated what he considered to be the object and advantages of the as-sociation. The idea was that this group should report at once to the secretary of should report at once to the secretary of the general organization and work under the direction of that body making reports of destitute cases and of such goods and money as may be donated. The officers elected were Mrs. John Goldsmith, president; Mrs. Dwight Goss. secretary; W. W. Hyde, treasurer. A visiting committee was elected which is composed of Mesdames Shepard, Enos, Pike, Wagner, Forbes. The organizing com-mittee chosen are G. N. Wagner, Mes-dames McMullen, Owen, Brooks and

The territory covered by this society extends from the east side of College avenue into the eastern suburbs of the city, and from the middle of Lyon street south, including the north side of Fulton street. Wherever there is a case of suffering for food, fuel or clothing, or should a case of neglected sick-ness be found, the report will be given at once to Miss Field and relief will be sent without delay. The organizing committee will advise with residents of other neighborhoods that these groups may multiply to the extent that no case of destitution may be unprovided with relief in any of the wards of the city. The meeting adjourned to meet at the same hour and place next Sunday afternoon, when reports of the week's work

will be made.

Funeral of Anton Worfel. The funeral of Anton Worfel was held yesterday afternoon from the family residence at No. 311 Second street, and a large congregation of relatives and friends of the family assembled to pay their last respects to a popular and well known pionest citizen. The house and yard could not contain the growd that assembled, and the walk was occupied for some distance in either direction The burial took place in Greenwood

eemetery.
Mr. Worfel was 70 years old and was one of the oldest and best known Ger man citizens in this city. He came here from Germany more than thirty years ago and had since made this city his residence. He was a cigarmaker and accumulated considerable property by his frugality and industrious habits. He leaves a family of grown up chil dren, one of whom is Deputy Sheriff Worfel of Judge Admit's court.

The members of St. James parish organized a charity society yesterday after noon for the purpose of dispensing relief to the destitute of the west side. Its work will be broad and liberal, and not confined to members of the parish plan of work is similar to that adopted by the Cathedral Aid society organized two weeks ago under the direction of Bishop Richter, Father Pulcher will have charge of the work done by the St. James society.

This Time for Larceny.

May Arnold was arrested by the de tectives yesterday morning on suspicion of larceny and is now in jail awaiting examination. She is charged with hav-ing stolen a pair of slippers and some wearing apparel from Mrs. Terrill, who has charge of the rooms over No. 117 Monroe street, May has caused her parents and the officers considerable ouble during the last two years, and has been in jail several months within

Selected a Michigan Man. KALAMAZOO, Mich., Nov. 26. Lyman Benson, a well known ventilator man

ofacturer and sanitary expert of this city, has been instructed by Secretary Carlisle to inspect the United States freezery building at Washington and report on such improvements in the ventilation and sewage as may be deemed practicable to remedy the exist-

Pear Hunes, Mich., Nov. 26 The resselmen of this city, representing \$1, 500,000 worth of ressel property, have adopted strong resolutions requesting congress not to remove the duty on iron ore. The resolutions were telegraphed to Congressman Whiting and he was requested to use his influence for retaining the duty.

Robbed in Daylight. Oscons, Mich., Nov. 25. Robert Zi

HIS FEET IN FLAMES

Three Robbers Tortured an Old

TO FORCE HIS MONEY FROM HIM

They Brutally Assaulted His Aged Wife, and Escaped After Sacuring \$25 and a Watch

Cottoners, Ohio, Nov. 26.—Three men assaulted Daniel Thomas, a farmer and capitalist living a baif unie from this city, when he went to his barn early this morning, and binding him securely, carried him to the house where Mra. Thomas, the only other person on the farm, was also selzed and bound. Scarching the house the robbers found no momer, and then demanded to be and no money, and then demanded to know where \$50,000, which they claimed to know was in the house, was kept. Thomas told them that the only money he had out of the bank was \$25 in his pocketbook. They in-sisted that there was money in the house, and removing his shoes, applied lighted matches to the soles of his feet. They tortured him this way for an hour and left, recurring only the \$25 and a gold watch, and leaving Thomas and his wife housed and with the content of the good watch, and leaving Thomas and his wife bound and with touch tied shout their mouths, so they could not give the alarm. It was late in the day when Mrs. Thomas managed to free herself and arouse the neighbors. They are both elderly persons, and may not survive the rough treatment.

LEHIGH TRAINS RUNNING.

Superintendent Esser Has Enough Men to Take Strikers' Places.

Men to Take Strikers' Places.

Wilkesmanns, Pa. Nov. 24.—The Lehigh company claims that all their mail and passenger trains are running on schedule time. Last night and early this morning a great deal of freight for the east was moved out of the Coxton yards, but little or no coal was moved. Superintendent Esser says that he has enough crews to fill all vacancies tomorrow, and that coal shipments will begin in earnest. The strikers were very orderly today. Many of them attended divine service. This afternoon the Lehigh Valley station was crowded by idlers brough there through curiosity. At 3 o'clock Superintendent Esser notified the police that an angry crowd had gathered at the depot, which he was requested to disperse. The chief dispatched four officers to the station, and with the sid of the company's detectives dispersed the crowd. At Sugar and with the aid of the company's de-tectives dispersed the crowd. At Sugar Notch, three miles from Wilkesbarrs a motley gang of men and hove gath-cred and made all sorts of threats against the men who were at work. The most unruly of the crowd three stones through the windows of the station and compelled the operator to the station and

ABANDONED THEIR ENGINES.

New Mep Desert the Lehigh and Join the strikers.

WILKESBARRY, Pa., Nov. 26-At 7 o'clock tonight there was a blockade of four freight trains at South Wilkes-barre, and all the crews have abandoned their engines and left for parts untaining thirty coal care, leaving South Wilkesbarre for Fairtiew tonight, was theoupled by some miscreant and part of the train pulled out leaving four care and two brakemen behind. The two latter threw their flags away and joined the strikers. The 7.15 o'clock passer ger train due here from the west was stoned north of this city tonight. The depot here has been closed for fear of violence. Now men are coming in and others are leaving. The outlook at this writing is anything but encouraging to

MONEY FOR THE STRIKERS.

The Brotherhood Sends Pecuniars

one side or the other.

Aid to Lebigh Men. WILKESBARRE, Pa. Nov. 26 - The strikers held a large and enthusiastic meeting this afternoon; no describes were reported, but four non-runan joined their ranks and signified their intention of standing by the strikers until the end. The brotherhood men now re-nice that this is a buttle to the alenth. If they cannot win this contest with all the brotherhoods united, it will be use less to continue the various organizations Brotherhood mon from an the country are pouring in money to the local treasury and the strikers will be well provided for three countle.

RAILWAY MEN WON'T WORK

They Flock to the Lebigh, Secking Employment.

Berrato, N. Y., Nov. 26. There was no change in the Lebigh Valley etrike today, although there was some nessainess over the stories that the employes of the other reads would be called out We have in our employ thirty seven out of the forty two engineers who were in the employ of the Ann Arkon read," eaid Freight Agent Nevine last evening. "and here is a telegram from the other five offering their services. It seems as though nearly every railroad mine in the west is anxious to come cost to

At midnight the Lebigh Valley offi-cials notified all connecting lines at this point that they would accept freight for all points on the Lebigh Valley

Swearing In Policemen.

Harmsoneno, Pa., Nov. 26. The clerks of the state department got out nonmis-sions for twenty-fire additional coul and tron police for the Lehigh Valley Bail-road company.

Pourseen Buildings Burned.

Moswoonerat. Ais., Nov. 26.—Early
this morning the town of Troy was
partly destroyed by fire. Fourseen
buildings and practically all contents
were destroyed including the new
Parker house, valued at \$19,000. The
warehouse and court house were budly
damaged, the former hurning up almost
optimely. Estimate of the losses are
placed at \$50,000 with about \$12,000 ineurapone.

Fought Seconty-nine Hounds. Lawa, O., Nor. 21. Simpler won the champion of Kentucky by putting Vokes out in the seventy-month round last night. In the last round Simpler had it all his own way, hitting Vokes be something to me. Is it nothing to pon!

This is a day of opportunity—s time of times for men to enter into the king dom. When it is too late I fear some of you will cry, "Jeeus of Narareth passed in the proper were passing every few minutes. There is no cine to the robber, too group; to keep out of blusher's way.